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NEWS OF THE CONTINENT

HOW SIR JOHN WISHED HIS C.P.R. STOCK TO BE DEALT WITH.

Business Failures Throughout the States—The Main Streets of a City Claimed as Private Property — Tennessee Mine Owners Violate the Laws—Other News.

OTTAWA, July 20.—Following is the full text of the clause in Sir John Macdonald's will dealing with his Canadian Pacific stock: "I give and bequeath any shares in the capital stock of the Canadian Pacific Railway whereof I may die possessed, whether standing in my own name or in that of any other person for my benefit to my executors in trust to pay the dividends therefrom to my wife during her lifetime, and after her decease to deal with the said shares in the manner hereinbefore provided with respect to my general personal estate, with power to sell the said shares or any portion thereof and invest the proceeds thereof in some one or more of the modes of investment hereinafter mentioned and then in trust to pay the dividends or income therefrom to my wife during her life, and after her death to deal with the said last mentioned investment in the manner hereinbefore provided with respect to my general personal estate."

Business Failures.

NEWBURY PORT, Mass., July 20.—The assignment of the Baley Hat Factory was announced to-day. The cause was the factory was manufacturing a class of goods which could only find a market at less than the cost of production. The company has been in existence 18 years and employed about 250 hands. Estimated liabilities, $170,000; assets, $50,000.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., July 20.—The following announcement has been made by the Higginmore Manufacturing Co., Higginmore, Conn.: "Owing to the failure of Joseph Davis of Lynn, and by the advice of large creditors, this firm has made an assignment to ex-Governor P.C. Loansbury, of Ridgefield, and Clements Hubbard, of the Haddams Company, manufacturers of farm implements." The president is State Senator George M. Clark, and Clinton B. Davis, chairman of the Democratic State Committee and nephew of Joseph Davis, secretary and treasurer.

Valuable Property Lease Expires.

NEW ORLEANS, July 19.—A Picayune West Point, Miss., special says: Ninety-nine years ago Robert Edwards, then a large real estate owner of New York City, leased to the city for the term of 99 years a considerable amount of real estate, on which Broadway and several adjacent streets for some distance are now located. The lease specified that at the end of that time the property with all its improvements should revert to Edwards's heirs. The lease having just expired, a suit is to be brought at once to recover possession of the property. Colonel H. Clay King of Memphis, and T. C. King, of this city, his brother, are among the heirs, and the latter is taking active steps to secure power of attorney from all the known members of the Edwards family. Mr. King claims to possess all the documents necessary to prove a clear title to the property in question. The property is estimated to be worth over $100,000,000.

Labor Troubles in Tennessee.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., July 20.—At a meeting of working people held here to-day, at which sixteen trades were represented, it was unanimously resolved that the present trouble at Bruceville is the natural outcome of long and persistent violations of law on the part of mine owners. The violations are said to consist of refusing to permit the miners to elect their own checkweighmen and the attempt to compel the employees to sign an agreement not to affiliate with any labor organization. It was also agreed to forward to the Governor the following petition: "We, the laborers and mechanics of Hamilton county, in open meeting assembled, under the auspices of the federation of trades, petition your excellency to call at the earliest moment a special legislature to consider the penitentiary and convict lease system."

Caught After a Chase of 10,000 Miles.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—Loring B. Loomis, at one time a member of a large land claim firm in Chicago, was captured yesterday after a chase of 10,000 miles for the embezzlement of $38,000. Loomis was the junior member of the firm, receiving a yearly income amounting to several thousand dollars. His ability and energy made him very prominent in Chicago real estate circles and there were few more successful men in business. A year ago he embezzled $38,000 of the firm's money and disappeared.

Trackowners at War.

CHICAGO, July 21.—A war of extermination between Edward Corrigan and George Hawkins, proprietors of new and rival race tracks in this city, began yesterday. The war is likely to be a long and costly one. It is given out that Corrigan is ready to spend $500,000 if necessary to beat his aversary, and it is not supposed that the opposition will be slow in meeting his moves.

Arrived Safe in Port.

NEW YORK, July 21.—The tramp steamship Endymion, which sailed from Barrow, England, June 27, and was reported disabled, reached her dock this morning. On the night of July 9th the forward crank shaft of the Endymion broke and it took six days to repair it. The vessel was again got under way and reached port without further incident.

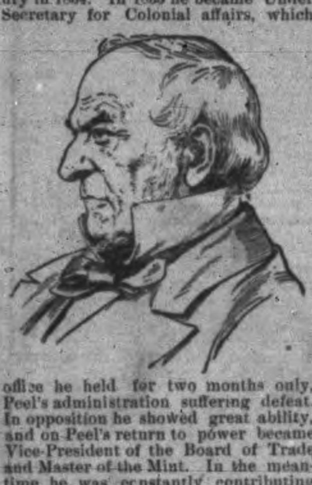
Abandoned His Wife and Children.

CHICAGO, July 20.—Wm. Luthstrohm, manager of the Carey Lombard Lumber Co., who has been missing from home over a week, is supposed to be a defaulter to the extent of $10,000. He was last seen by his wife a week ago Tuesday, which time he told her that he had to make a business trip. Although a married man and the father of five children, Luthstrohm when he left the city was accompanied by a woman, and his wife and children are left destitute.

THE GRAND OLD MAN.

William Ewart Gladstone's Remarkable Political and Literary Career.

William Ewart Gladstone was born in Liverpool, England, 82 years ago. By courtesy he is called Right Honorable from his having held office in the British Cabinet several times, and be it said to his credit that although repeatedly offered a peerage he has always refused it, being satisfied to serve his country without any title. He is the fourth son of Sir John Gladstone, a wealthy merchant of Liverpool who formerly was in business in Glasgow. He went to Eton, and afterward's to Oxford, where he gained the very highest honors, and was graduated from Christ Church College, Oxford, in 1831, being what is known as a "double first class," a rare distinction. He became a member of Parliament for Newark in 1832, and represented the borough until 1846. Sir Robert Peel, then Prime Minister, appointed him a junior Lord of the Treasury in 1834. In 1835 he became Under Secretary for Colonial affairs, which office he held for two months only, Peel's administration suffering defeat. In opposition he showed great ability, and on Peel's return to power became Vice-President of the Board of Trade and Master of the Mint. In the meantime he was constantly contributing articles to the "Quarterly Review," and doing other literary work. Since he was made President of the Board of Trade in 1843 he has always held a high place in the Cabinet when his party was in power. In 1847 he was chosen to represent the University of Oxford, and voted for the removal of the disabilities of the Jews. He distinguished himself as Chancellor of the Exchequer in Lord Aberdeen's ministry. Lord John Russel pronounced Gladstone's speeches on the budget as "the ablest expositions of the true principles of finance ever delivered by an English statesman." Under Lord Palmerston, Mr. Gladstone again became Chancellor of the Exchequer. He was leader of the House of Commons in 1865, and was Premier in 1868. The disestablishment of the Irish Church and reform in representation are inseparably connected with his name. In politics he may be called an advanced Liberal. His efforts for Home Rule in Ireland took him out of office, and brought the Tory party into power under Lord Salisbury. Among his principal works may be mentioned "The State in its Relations with the Church," "Studies on Homer and the Homeric Age," "Juventus Mundi, the Gods and Men of the Heroic Age." Mr. Gladstone has a family of sons and daughters. His eldest son has just died, aged 51.



Stealing Across the Border.

RUTLAND, Vt., July 21.—The Chinamen who were smuggled across the Canadian border at Franklin, Vt., have been sent back to Canada. They said they were brought to Cowanville by the C.P.R., and thence smuggled across the border in a carriage by a white man. Rumors are afloat that every Sunday in the larger towns along the Canadian line Chinamen are seen and they disappear on Monday. They are harbored by Chinese laundrymen.

Death of Fanny's Mother.

CANTON, Pa., July 21.—Mrs. Fannie Elizabeth Davenport, widow of the actor, E. D. Davenport, and mother of the famous actress, Fannie Davenport, died at her cottage near here last Monday night.

Long Overdue.

NEW YORK, July 21.—Considerable anxiety prevails regarding the safety of the steamship Olinda from Oporto, which is far overdue. She touched at St. Michaels July 1, since which she has not been sighted.

Broke her Rudder.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—Advices from Alaska state that the whaling bark Mars struck on a shoal at Sitka and damaged her rudder. She will return to San Francisco for repairs.

A Lecherous Negro Lynched.

SHELBYVILLE, Ky., July 21.—Sam Pullman, negro, was lynched near Laurenceburg early this morning for assaulting Mrs. Thomas Glenn on Sunday.

Seizure of Smuggled Cigars.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 21.—Customs officers this morning seized 1000 cigars on the steamer Newbeen from Mexico.

To-Day's Anniversaries.

BORN:—Matthew Prior, 1664.
Mrs. Grover Cleveland, 1864.
Augustin Daly, 1837.
DIED:—Robert Burns, 1796.
Peter Thellusson, 1798.
Daniel Sennertus, 1673.
First battle of Bull Run, 1861.
Russell beheaded, 1683.
Darius III, murdered 330 B.C.
Admiral von Trompe killed, 1653.
Mills Bill passed by the House of Representatives, Washington, 1888.

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TROUBLE ANTICIPATED.

RUSSIA AGAIN TRYING TO EXTEND HER INFLUENCE.

Another Attempt on the Part of Russia to Gain a Foothold in India — Strikes Looked Forward to in Belgium—King Milan's Trouble.

LONDON, July 21.—Advices from India bring the intelligence that Russia is again at work on the northwestern frontier endeavoring to extend her already powerful influence in that region across the border into Hindostan and Afghanistan, whose domination the St. Petersburg government has long coveted. The dispatches at hand state that a Russian exploring party, 50 strong, is engaged surveying and prospecting in the plateau of the Pamir; but intimation is also conveyed that while these are the ostensible objects of the expedition, its warlike character suggests a far different purpose, as the Pamir region is already completely under the influence and control of Russia, and further efforts to extend Russian influence would seem to be equivalent to carrying coals to Newcastle. It is said that the purpose of the expedition is to sow the seeds of Russian influence beyond the frontier, where their growth shall be fostered, pending the appearance on the scene of the Russian troops, which it is supposed may be already under orders to proceed to that locality. Ever since the operations of General Komarof on and beyond the Oxus, where Herat was threatened by Muscovite troops, the northern borders of India have been menaced by Russian soldiers. It was not known at that time how many troops Russia had pushed forward to the frontier, nor has it since been possible to estimate, even approximately, the number left there when the pretence of evacuation was made. It is known, however, that a much larger force remained than was stated, and it is also known that these troops have since been reinforced on several occasions. The effect of the advices, which are vouched for as being authentic, is to induce the belief in political circles here that another attempt on the part of Russia to obtain a foothold in India is not far distant.

STRIKE IN BELGIUM IMMINENT.

A Brussels telegram says that signs of a renewal of the strikes at Charleroi, Monsliege and other labor centres in Belgium are numerous and alarming. As every one of the previous strikes in those places have been accompanied by every species of disorder, resulting in bloodshed and destruction of property, the murmurings of the workmen, who are egged on by the large number of socialist agitators that work in the manufacturing and mining towns of Belgium, the law-abiding population and local authorities are not alarmed without cause at the return of discontent at the overworked and underpaid laborers. The basis of the trouble between the employees and masters has been, and still is, that the workmen blindly follow the lead of a number of irresponsible agitators. Whenever the men have grievances that might be remedied without trouble—that are just—and would at once appeal to the sense of justice of the employers, they are induced by these self-appointed advisers to make such extravagant claims as to preclude any possibility of compliance, with the invariable result that the men are hopelessly beaten at the outset of any strike that follows. Even now the iron-workers and miners are making demands that are obliged to be rejected, because of their injustice, and for their inevitable defeat in the strike which can not long be deferred, they will, as on previous occasions, have nobody to blame but themselves.

KING MILAN'S DIFFICULTIES.

Of the justice of ex-Queen Natalie's claim against her divorced husband Milan, who she is sueing in Paris, there does not seem to be any trouble, but of her chance of recovering any part of her squandered fortune there seems to be a good deal. Milan long ago spent all of her money that he could get his hands upon, as well as every franc of of his own and all he was able to borrow from confiding men and women. At present he is living on the income which the Servian government guaranteed to him as the price of his remaining away from Servia, and this is the only source of revenue he has. It is not at all likely that he has anything left over when the periodical payment is due, nor is it probable that the treasury at Belgrade can be further drawn upon to help him out of his trouble. Therefore, the only consolation Natalie is likely to get out of the suit is the opportunity it will afford her to expose the disreputable life her husband has led for years and let the world know the woman upon whom he has lavished her wealth.

VERY MUCH VEXED.

General Whitely and the other promoters of the German exhibition in London are incensed at the action of the Prince of Wales, who persuaded the Emperor William not to visit it on the ground that it was a private speculation. Owing to his advice the Emperor cancelled his engagement without explanation. This, coming so soon after the hoax which was played upon them, when a false notice of the Emperor's coming was sent, has aroused much indignation among the officers of the exhibition, who feel that they have been unfairly treated and their enterprises severely impaired.

THE BISHOP IS SUSTAINED.

The famous St. Paul's Cathedral reredos case, in the court of appeals, was dismissed yesterday, with costs against the appellants. The case was the appeal of "Allcroft and others" against a decision of the Bishop of London, and has been a subject of interest to churchmen and others since the litigation began, in 1888. The question raised was to the legality of the figures in the reredos of the wall at the back of the of St. Paul's Cathedral, the contention of the appellants being that the sculptured figures of Our Saviour and the Virgin Mary in the reredos were calculated to encourage superstition and to suggest unlawful ideas of devotion. The decision sustained the Bishop, who held that this contention was not well founded, and so insures the retention of the figures in the reredos.

FINANCIALLY EMBARRASSED.

Rodger Best & Co., of Liverpool, are reported to be in difficulty. The firm did a general business in merchandise between London and River Plate. Their trouble is due to a recent failure of the English bank of River Plate.

Mauriel Won't Sing in Lara.

LONDON, July 20.—While the dress rehearsal of Lara's new opera, founded on Sir Edwin Arnold's "Light of Asia," was in progress this morning at Covent Garden, the composer was nearly bereft of his senses by the receipt of a letter from the tenor Mauriel, brusquely declining to assume the chief role, on the ground that he had not sufficient time to learn the part, as the first production of the opera had been billed for Wednesday. This action of Mauriel's was a death blow to the project. The only thing to do under the circumstances was to announce the indefinite postponement of the performance and the company was dissolved. Lara and the members of the company are wild with indignation. Miss Eames, the prima donna, who was to have sung the heroine's part, and several other ladies of the cast wept with vexation. Various lawsuits will undoubtedly be the result of the unfortunate affair.

Ship Disabled.

LONDON, July 20.—The Dutch ship Kheronese, from Dundee, for San Francisco, has been towed into Montevideo with her cargo heated and shifted and with the loss of her fore and maintopmast.

Mr. Spurgeon's Condition.

LONDON, July 21.—Mr. Spurgeon passed a restless night and is much exhausted this morning.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES.

Several Stores Burned in Chico—Valuable Mail Matter Destroyed.

CHICO, Cal., July 21.—About 9 o'clock there was an alarm of fire, which proved to be a small dwelling house. When it was about under control a second alarm was sounded which proved to be the worst fire that this town has suffered for eight years. The fire started in the rear of G. W. Dorn's building and soon communicated to the adjoining property. The loss will be heavy, about $25,000.

LEBANON, Tex., July 21.—About 11 last night fire was discovered issuing from the back end of I. C. Peebles' store, and rapidly spreading both ways. The store of S. P. Bach, the post office, harness shop of J. C. Frey, office of Dr. Duckett, and the meat market building were completely destroyed. Peebles' stock of groceries are a total loss, $2000; insured for $1000. Bach estimates his stock as worth $5000, insured for $2000. About $800 worth of stock was taken out, but is of little value. The buildings belonged to Dr. J. S. Courtney, value, $3000; insured for $1700. The postoffice building, fixtures and most of the mail was entirely lost, the postmaster saving some valuable mail. The registered mail, stamps, money orders and about $180 in money were kept in the safe, which cannot be opened for some time. The fixtures are valued at $300 on which there is no insurance. Judge Miller, postmaster, will lose about $600, if the government holds him responsible for postage lost and his law library, valued at $250. The fire is supposed to have been caused by a defective flue in the store. Total loss $10,000 insured for £4700.

DYING OF LA GRIPPE.

A Village of Alaska Indians Depopulated—Other News.

Captain Erskine of the Alaska Commercial Company's steamer St. Paul, had instructions to go to St. Michaels and bring down from there the coast survey parties who have now been in Northern Alaska a little over two years. Twenty men—ten in each party—went in April, 1889, and so far as known all are alive and well. They came down some time since to St. Michaels and are anxiously awaiting a steamer to bring them home, although the scientists of the party have been putting in their time doing astronomical and topographical work about St. Michaels and the islands near. The parties were sent out to determine definitely the precise location of the boundary line between Alaska and British North America.

An Alaskan explorer says of his voyage down the Yukon River: "It was the grandest river journey that ever I made, and I doubt whether there is a river in the world that can equal it for magnificent scenery. For miles we floated down between huge rocky banks that towered fully 3000 feet above our heads. The sky looked like a blue slit, and the echoes between these stony ramparts were something that would have driven a solitary man crazy. The same sound was then hurled back at you a dozen times, coming from far and near at the same time."

An employee of the Cutting Packing Company, of Cook's Inlet, Western Alaska, in a recent letter states that the Indians are dying of the grip at an alarming rate. The week before the letter was written 20 died within a radius of five miles. A village a few miles distant from the cannery was depopulated with the exception of two children, and no one was left to bury the dead. The writer and his companion buried seven Indians in one day, and burned a house containing three more.

Merchants Luncheon.
From 11:30 until 2 o'clock and Lewis bran a the [illegible]

Just received—a shipment of the extra choice [illegible] at R. H. Jameson's, 33 Fort street. Telephone 128.

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OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

EXPENSES OF THE MILITARY EXPEDITION TO WELLINGTON.

Sir Adolph Caron's Reply to Mr. Gordon—The Troops Paid by Dunsmuir & Co.—How Light was Thrown on the Interior Department.

From Our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, July 13.—It is so very seldom that anything is asked in the House in regard to British Columbia or what may effect that peaceful province away out on the Pacific, that I like to quote in full whatever may be said in regard thereto. To-day, Mr. Gordon, who seems to be the only man from the coast who takes any interest at all in British Columbia affairs, put the following question to Sir Adolphe Caron:

1st—Whether the pay of the active militia called out by Lieutenant-Colonel Holmes, ostensibly in aid of the civil power at Wellington, on the 5th of August last, was guaranteed before the troops left Victoria? If so, by whom? And by whom paid? Have the expenses of said military expedition been collected from a municipality; and if so, from which municipality? If there are no details of those payments in the department, as indicated in the return brought down to this house, will the Minister of Militia obtain an answer to the following questions by telegraph?

2nd.—Did any person or persons become responsible for, and guarantee the payment of the active militia under the command of Colonel Holmes, that were ordered to Wellington on the 5th of August last? Did such guarantee, if any, include cost of transportation, the rent of cars used as quarters for the force while at Wellington, the board and lodging of officers, and board of men at the Wellington hotel? And the blankets and other camp equipments required by the troops while there? If so, by whom was such guarantee given? Giving the name of the person or persons in each case.

3rd.—What amount was paid to the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company for transportation and use of their cars for quarters for the troops while at Wellington?

4th.—What amount was paid for the board and lodging of the officers and for board of the men under the command of Colonel Holmes at the Wellington Hotel.

5th.—What amount was paid for active service of officers and men? What amount in lieu of subsistence?

6th.—What amount was paid for blankets and other camp equipage while so stationed?

7th.—Whether any sum or sums were paid to either officers or men in excess of the regulation rates for active service? If so, what amount? And to whom paid? And any other information in his possession pertinent to this enquiry.

THE MINISTER OF WAR'S REPLY.

Sir Adolphe Caron said: In reply to the first question, I may say the pay was guaranteed by R. Dunsmuir & Sons before before the troops left Victoria. I cannot say who paid them. I am not aware that the expenses were collected by a municipality. In answer to the second question I may state that the guarantee given by R. Dunsmuir & Sons included all reasonable expenses in connection with the trip of the militia force to Wellington. In reply to the third question, I may say that the expenses not having been paid by the Government, I cannot state what amount was paid. No account has been presented for board and lodging of officers, and for board of the men at the Wellington hotel. The amount paid for active service of the officers and men of the British Columbia Brigade of Garrison and for cartage, etc, was $198.08. Nothing was paid for "C" Battery detachment. There was a small bill of $4 for the commanding officer, and 75 cents for his master gunner for cab hire, which was also paid. The receipts in each case of the parties receiving the money were sent to Messrs Dunsmuir & Sons. In reference to the sixth question, I do not know what amount was paid for blankets or other camp equipage while they were stationed there, as no account was submitted for these items. I am not aware of any sums being paid other than those I have mentioned. The claim for pay was made out under the supervision of the deputy adjutant-general, and was strictly in accordance with the regulations.

WHAT OTHERS SAID.

Mr. Laurier.—Do I understand the hon. gentleman to say that he does not know by whom the money was paid?

The department never knows except when the money is paid by the commanding officer.

Mr Laurier.—Then in this case it was not paid by the commanding officer?

Sir Adolphe Caron.—No, it was paid to the commanding officer.

Mr. Laurier.—And the Minister cannot say by whom it was paid?

Sir Adolphe Caron.—I see it was paid by the firm of Dunsmuir & Sons, and I cannot say anything further.

Mr. Mills (Bothwell).—This is a very grave question, and the correspondence ought to be laid on the table of the House.

The Speaker.—I must rule that it is out of order to discuss a question.

THE REVELATIONS.

The revelations which have been made before the Public Accounts Committee in regard to the irregularities—to speak of the matter mildly—which have been going on in the Interior Department for years past, are the principal subjects of conversation here. However, their existence has been known to more than a few for a long time, but the trouble was to get the necessary evidence to prove them, and probably had it not been that a disagreement took place between some of the parties concerned the public might never have had the benefit of knowing the whole truth of the matter. Formerly the habit of paying permanent hacks in the service for extra work was carried on to such an extent that the system was grossly abused and it was stopped by statute. To evade this good order of things the Interior Department staff have in many cases been drawing money under fictitious names, signing these names and pocketing the cash. The cases already ventilated show that they had the liberty of signing these names, but had no power of attorney to give them the necessary authority to do so. This investigation is still going on and when the Interior is finished some other department will be taken up. The officials are determined that all the plunder will not go to their superiors.

SLABTOWN.

WORSE THAN WHITECHAPEL.

An Englishman's Visit to the Slums of Boston and Chicago.

LONDON, July 19.—In an interview to-day with a representative of the International Telegram, Rev. Samuel Barnett, the social reformer warden of Toynebee Hall, who has just returned from a tour of the world, said his trip was undertaken with the purpose of gathering information of the actual condition of the poor in various countries. It was a tour of inspection of the suffering and poverty of the world. Some of the results of his personal observations simply confirm the statements of the ordinary works of reference which could be consulted in any library.

On the other hand he saw many things which surprised him and seemed at variance with the received notions. For instance, he was not prepared to find that large districts of Chicago and Boston equaled Whitechapel in respect of squalor and misery. A number of the streets of Boston and Chicago were so dirty that Whitechapel would not have tolerated them. The houses of the poorer people in the two cities were in a large measure constructed without any apparent recognition of sanitary laws, and not only the buildings, but everything inside of them seemed unwholesome.

Dr. Barnett expressed himself as shocked beyond measure at the rampancy of vice in Chicago. No such flagrant exhibitions of immorality could go on unchecked in London. He had not had an opportunity to observe the social conditions in New York with sufficient accuracy to qualify him to make a statement concerning them.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

The Kaiser's Influence Wanted—Mrs. Maybrick Loses Her Case.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Secretary Foster has referred all correspondence regarding Canadian seizures of American fishing vessels last Thursday to the state department. Congressman Boutelle asked that a revenue cutter be sent there to protect the American fish interests.

LONDON, July 20.—Judgment was given to-day in the action brought by Mrs. Maybrick against the insurance association, to recover $10,000 insurance upon her husband's life. The court decided that as she murdered her husband she could not recover the insurance.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 20.—Another naval corps has been added to the Black Sea fleet. The building of four vessels for this corps will be expedited.

NEW YORK, July 20.—Six hundred thousand dollars in gold has been engaged to-day by Lazard Freres for shipment to France.

What Does It Mean?

"100 Doses One Dollar" means simply that Hood's Sarsaparilla is the most economical medicine to buy, because it gives more for the money than any other preparation. Each bottle contains 100 doses and will average to last a month, while other preparations, taken according to directions, are gone in a week. Therefore, be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier.

What's the Reason?

The causes of summer complaint, diarrhœa, dysentery, cholera morbus, etc., are the excessive heat, eating green fruit, over-exertion, impure water and sudden chill. Dr. Fowler's Wild Strawberry is an infallible and prompt cure for all bowel complaints from whatever cause.

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Victoria, July 1st, 1891. jy3-1m

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JOHN GRANT, Mayor.
July 18, 1891.

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TIME TABLE NO. 14.
To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Saturday, May 9th, 1891.
Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

STATIONS.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Victoria.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Wellington.
VICTORIA	De. 8:00 A M	De. 3:30 P M		Ar. 12:34 P M	Ar. 6:38 P M	78
RUSSELLS	8:04	3:34	[illegible]	12:30	6:34	[illegible]
ESQUIMALT	8:14	3:44	[illegible]	12:10	[illegible]	[illegible]
GOLDSTREAM	8:39	4:09	11	11:45 A M	[illegible]	[illegible]
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	9:34	5:04	25	10:50	5:23	[illegible]
COBBLE HILL	9:44	5:14	[illegible]	10:40	5:14	[illegible]
McPHERSON'S	9:57	5:29	[illegible]	10:27	4:59	[illegible]
KOKSILAH	10:07	5:39	[illegible]	10:17	4:49	[illegible]
DUNCANS	10:12	5:44	40	10:12	4:44	[illegible]
SOMENOS	10:22	5:54	[illegible]	10:02	4:34	[illegible]
CHEMAINUS	10:45	6:16	[illegible]	9:36	4:12	[illegible]
NANAIMO	Ar. 11:50	:14	73	De. 8:31	3:14	5
	De. 11:50			Ar. 8:25		
WELLINGTON	Ar. 12:14 P M	Ar. 7:29	78	De. 8:10	De. 2:59	

ON SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return not later than Monday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for three days, including day of issue.

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EMPRESS OF INDIA	July 21	July 29
PARTHIA	Aug. 11	Aug. 19
EMPRESS OF JAPAN	Sept. 1	Sept. 9
EMPRESS OF INDIA	Sept. 22	Sept. 30
EMPRESS OF CHINA	Oct. 13	Oct. 21
EMPRESS OF JAPAN	Nov. 3	Nov. 18
EMPRESS OF INDIA	Dec. 1	Dec. 16
EMPRESS OF CHINA	Dec. 29	Jan. 13

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C. P. N. CO.'S SS.
ISLANDER
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For Fort Simpson, Nass, Queen Charlotte Islands (Masset and Skidegate), and calling at all the inlets and points of interest en route. Scenery surpasses description. Accommodation excellent. Fare for round trip, including berth and meals, $60.

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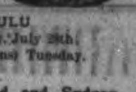

CARRYING UNITED States, Hawaiian and Colonial mails, will leave the Company's wharf, foot Folsom street.

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TIME TABLE No. 14.
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Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria daily, except [illegible], at 13 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at [illegible] o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 1 going East Monday.)
For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
Leave New Westminster for Victoria, Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route.

Steamers leave New Westminster for Chilliwack and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Ft. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer, will extend trips to West Coast ports and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports on the 10th of each month.

Bute Inlet Route.

[illegible] Fridays for [illegible], New Westminster, Burrard Inlet, Bute Inlet and wayports.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

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Pathetic Story of a Young Man—Iquique is the Richmond.

IQUIQUE, July 19.—Iquique is fast becoming the Richmond of the Chilian rebellion. The government forces are concentrating around it, and within the city are collected the flower of the insurgent army. Five thousand troops are ready to gather for an advance upon the town, while the government naval strength, if augmented by the addition of the two new cruisers, will be directed against the place from the waterside, so that before long Iquique will probably be in a state of siege. The insurgents know that the destruction of the government cruisers would be an ill wind for the plans of government, and all the genius and generalship of the rebels is engaged upon the solution of the problem which confronts them.

In the meantime the garrison is not idle day or night. The sound of the pick and shovel is heard incessantly, and the sight of swelling earthworks is constantly changing the aspect of the harbor. The insurgents desire to make a naval attack upon Valparaiso, but are deterred by the fear that their own stronghold may suffer during their absence.

A pathetic story is briefly told in a letter received by a gentleman at Callao, whose 18-year-old son at Santiago is serving the president on compulsion. The letter was brought by a refugee. It reads:

"Father, save me if you can. I am fighting the revolutionists against my will, and am suspected of treason and may be shot. I have just returned from headquarters and have received information that some heavy fighting has occurred in the south, near Coquimbo, which place is 650 miles from here and 200 from Valparaiso. On May 30 the insurgents were attacked by the government forces and were defeated with small loss."

A gentleman, whose name is withheld for political reasons, who aspires to the presidency of Chili in the event of the insurgents' success, has a son who is an active revolutionist, and who has suddenly and mysteriously disappeared. Foul play is suspected.

Balmaceda advises his successor-elect, Vicuna, to rule with an iron hand, and in no case to yield to the insurgents. Balmaceda has not given his reasons for deferring action against the enemy, but perhaps the indomitable grit of the officers of the insurgents' navy and the attack of the Magellanes on Valparaiso during which battle the Condell was nearly blown out of the water, have somewhat quenched his ardor.

The effect of the war upon German and English commerce is becoming apparent. The South American Steam Navigation Company has vastly incresed its passenger list, but is sadly short of freight. The German Cosmos line of steamers, which prior to the rebellion reaped such a rich harvest, especially in Southern Chile, and played such havoc with the American shipping interests, go steaming by the ports where once they loaded with rich cargoes, and stand away for Central America, to commence an active freight war with their old enemies, the Pacific Mail Steamship Company.

The effect of the revolution upon American commerce has been beneficial. More American vessels are in Chilean waters now than ever before. The policy of all foreign nations, with the exception of the United States, has been a selfish one.

The Raymond Excursionists.

The following party of Raymond excursionists arrived last evening over the C.P.R., and will await the return of the steamer Queen for Alaska: Mrs. H. S. Anderson, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Prof. W. H. Appleton, Swarthmore College, Pa.; Mr. Henry Bacon, Philadelphia, Pa.; Master Natt Batchelder, Keene, N.H.; Mr. Bert Beattie, Little Falls, N.Y.; Mr. J. V. D. Black, New York, N.Y.; Mr. R. C. Black, Pelham Manor, N.Y.; Mrs. R. C. Black, Pelham Manor, N.Y.; Mr. R. Clifford Black, jr., Pelham Manor, N.Y.; Master Witherbee Black, Pelham Manor, N.Y.; Miss Anna Blanchard, Philadelphia, Pa.; Dr. F. S. Bradford, Morristown, N.J.; Mrs. F. S. Bradford, Morristown, N.J.; Mr. S. E. Bridgman, Northampton, Mass.; Mrs. S. E. Bridgman, Northampton, Mass.; Mr. Silas Cary, Newtown, Pa.; Mrs. Silas Cary, Newtown, Pa.; Miss Dona E. Cooper, Perth Amboy, N.J.; Miss Harriet C. Cooper, Perth Amboy, N.J.; Mr. Geo. W. Cornell, Newtown, Pa.; Mrs. Geo. W. Cornell, Newtown, Pa.; Mr. J. Lewis Crozer, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. J. Lewis Crozer, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. Seth Drew, Kingston, Mass.; Miss Clara L. Durfor, Philadelphia, Pa.; Miss Anna S. Eckfeldt, Chester, Pa.; Miss A. M. Edwards, Boston, Mass.; Miss Mary E. Englis, New York, N.Y.; Miss E. J. Faulkner, Keene, N.H.; Mrs. Francis A. Faulkner, Keene, N.H.; Rev. Lewis Francis, D.D., Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mrs. Lewis Francis, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mr. Arthur W. Francis, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Miss E. R. Francis, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mrs. C. G. Galbraith, Philadelphia, Pa.; Miss Sue H. Galbraith, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. Lyman B. Goff, Pawtucket, R.I.; Mrs. Lyman B. Goff, Pawtucket, R.I.; Miss Bessie L. Goff, Pawtucket, R.I.; Mr. Lyman T. Goff, Pawtucket, R.I.; Mr. B. L. C. Griffith, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. V. Him, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mrs. P. B. Hayward, Keene, N.H.; Mr. Benj. D. Hicks, Old Westbury, N.Y.; Mrs. Benj. D. Hicks, Old Westbury, N.Y.; Mr. James James, Guernsey, England; Miss A. H. Johnson, Boston, Mass.; Miss S. V. Johnson, Muscatine, Iowa; Mr. John H. Kennedy, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. Gustavus W. Knowles, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. William G. Knowles, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. R. B. Lawrence, Boston, Mass.; Miss Eleanor Lewis, Chester, Pa.; Miss Mabel Lewis, Chester, Pa.; Miss Maud Libby, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Miss E. A. Lippincott, Philadelphia, Pa.; Rev. Albert J. Lyman, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mrs. Albert J. Lyman, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mrs. Jane McKenzie, New York, N.Y.; Miss Margaret B. Mowry, Harrisburg, Pa.; Mrs. M. C. Mullikin, Baltimore, Md.; Mr. H. S. P. Nichols, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. D. S. Packard, Brockton, Mass.; Mr. S. T. Packard, Brockton, Mass.; Miss Helen Page, New York, N.Y.; Mr. Henry C. Patterson, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. Henry C. Patterson, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. A. K. Pomeroy, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. A. A. Richards, Pelham Manor, N.Y.; Mr. W. A. Ripley, Newark, N.J.; Mrs. W. A. Ripley, Newark, N. J.; Mrs. A. W. Roberts, Quincy, Ill.; Miss Grace W. Roberts, Quincy, Ill.; Mr. A. G. Rosengarten, Philadelphia, Pa.; Miss Fanny Rosengarten, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. J. G. Rosengarten, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. S. Rowland, Mont Clair, N. J.; Mrs. S. Rowland, Mont Clair, N. J.; Master H. C. Rowland, Mont Clair, N. J.; Miss Betty Sinnickson, Philadelphia, Pa.; Miss Lina Sinnickson, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. Wm. A. Stotesbury, Chester, Pa.; Mr. A. M. Suydam, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss C. E. Swift, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mrs. S. N. Swope, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. E. S. Van Bell, New York, N. Y.; Mrs. John Vanderbilt, Flatbush, N. Y.; Mrs. L. B. Van Nostrand and maid, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Master J. J. Van Nostrand, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Miss Anna C. Weir, Harrisburg, Pa.; Miss Sibyl M. Weir, Harrisburg, Pa.; Mrs. Martha C. White, Williamsport, Pa.; Mrs. S. C. Witherbee, New York, N. Y.; Mr. J. Henry Zeilin, Philadelphia, Pa.

Another Cashier Gone Wrong.

NEW YORK, July 20.—Benj. R. Spellman, jr., recently cashier of the 26th Ward Bank, Brooklyn, has disappeared, and an examination of his accounts showed that on leaving the bank he was short $90,000. On account of intemperate habits he had been requested to resign, which he did on May 30.

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Dated at the City of Victoria, this 22nd day of June, A.D., 1891.

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Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable.
Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets.
Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. jul8

JOHN DOHERTY
GENERAL SCAVENGER.
Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; Cochrane & Munn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Doughty, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. Coal and wood for sale. aug22-1y

LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 640 acres of land, situated between Port Heights and Pachena Cove, in Alberni District, commencing at a post about three miles south from Sarrita Valley Creek; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence 80 chains to the place of commencement.
E. A. NICHOLSON.
Victoria, July 8th, 1891. jy10 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase land on the seashore on San Mateo Bay, Alberni District, commencing at a post on West corner; thence south 10 chains; thence east 120 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west to the seashore.
GEORGE WALKER.
Victoria, July 8th, 1891. jy10 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, viz.—A small island in Lower Campbell Lake, containing five acres, more or less. Starting point being a post on the beach on south side of said island; the same being pastoral land.
M. KING.
Victoria, B.C., June 16th, 1891. je19-2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land, situated in Coast District and described as follows:—Commencing at a stake marked M.K.M., about a half mile from the south-east corner of lot 19, range 5, Coast District, on the Hocksall River; thence running west 20 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east to the Hocksall River, and thence along the said River to the place of beginning.
M. K. MORRISON.
Port Essington, 6th June, 1891. 2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land:—Commencing at the Balmoral Canning Co.'s S.E. corner post; thence north twenty chains; thence east eighty chains; thence south twenty chains; thence following the bank of the Ecstall River to the place of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less. (Signed) JNO. FLEWIN,
DONALD MORRISON.
Port Essington, June 3 1891. je11

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

LOT 16 VICTORIA CITY.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above lot will be issued to William Wilson on the 7th day of August, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.
C. J. LEGGATT,
Land Registry office, Registrar-General.
Victoria, 5 May, 1891. my6-3m

A. C. McALPIN,
CHIROPODIST
Turner Building, No. 66 Douglas street. Removes Hard and Soft Corns, Ingrowing Nails, etc., without pain.
Office hours—9 to 12 a.m.; 1 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. jy20-6m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INtend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell intoxicating liquors, at the Caledonian Saloon, on the corner of Cormorant and Store streets, to Joseph Muenier, Joseph H. Brown and Henry M. Fox.
J. CARPENTER.
Dated Victoria, June 2, 1891. je3

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between us as real estate and insurance agents, doing business in the city of Victoria, under the name and style of Dalby, Ballentyne & Claxton, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, C. G. Ballentyne retiring from the firm. All debts due the firm are to be collected by the remaining partners, and all liabilities are to be discharged by them, who will continue the business as heretofore, under the firm name of Dalby & Claxton.
Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 15th day of July, 1891.
WM. DALBY,
C. G. BALLENTYNE,
Witness: FRED. J. CLAXTON.
LEONARD COUSINS. jy18-1w

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase a small island in the Skeena River, about a quarter of a mile from Port Essington.
R. G. JOHNSTON.
Victoria, June 12, 1891. je12-2m

TO MECHANICS AND OTHERS.

SEALED TENDERS ARE ASKED BY 12 noon of Tuesday, 21st inst., for the purchase and removal of two frame houses, opposite the "Clarence," on Douglas street. Particulars to be obtained from and tenders addressed to the undersigned. No tender necessarily accepted.
CORNELIUS J. SOULE,
jy17-1m Architect, Turner Block.

Try Snow Flake Hominy for breakfast. Dixi H. Ross & Co.

CHILDREN'S

SUITS

CHEAP

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We have a line of Children's Suits in two pieces, beautiful goods, but the fit is not perfect. In order to clear these out we have reduced them from $6.50 to

$4.50.

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This is actually less than the cost. You can have these very fine goods at the price of an ordinary tweed suit. Sizes from 23 to 28. Two pieces.

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DOMINION FRANCHISE ACT.

At the opening of the present session, several members of the House of Commons introduced measures for the amendment of the Dominion Franchise and Election Laws. These were all referred to a special committee, whose labors have resulted in the drawing up of three bills, grouping the various amendments which the committee considered acceptable. These bills were recently introduced in the House by Sir JOHN THOMPSON. The bill respecting the Franchise Act provides fifteen more days for the parliamentary revision, the time being extended to the 15th of August. No name is to be removed from the list because the qualification is incorrectly stated. For further security against fraud in issuing the lists it is provided that the returning officer shall state the number of names contained in each list. The bill amending the Dominion Elections Act provides that deposits in connection with recounts and similar purposes may be made in legal tender or in bills of any bank doing business in Canada. Provision is made for such contingencies as the loss of ballot boxes in order that the election may not be therefore void, and it is stipulated that the clerk of the Crown in Chancery shall gazette the returns in order as they come in. In the bill amending the Controverted Elections Act it is provided that corrupt acts by agents without the sanction or connivance of the candidate shall not void an election unless such acts shall be of such a character as to materially effect the result.

As to the Franchise Act, the most satisfactory amendment would be one sweeping it off the statute book. It serves no good end, and causes the waste of a great deal of money which the country much needs for use in legitimate ways. The Kingston News, an ardent Conservative paper, vigorously assails the Act. It asserts that the revision of the lists under the Act, "is a cumberous and difficult job. It entails a loss of considerable time and money on the party managers. It costs the country an enormous sum annually, or at least as often as revision takes place, which is nearly every year. And finally, after all the expense to the country and the loss of time and money to the party candidates or their agents in looking after its revision, the list is very inaccurate. The plan of keeping the lists standing and adding new names from year to year, together with the safeguards which hedge around the removal of a name, has the result of encumbering the lists with the names of dead men and absentees." The News might further have pointed out that when, on account of the heavy expense, revision is suspended for a year, an election may have to be held with an antiquated and defective voters' list, as was the case in the late election. The Hamilton Spectator, another Conservative paper, has frequently condemned the Franchise Act in the same manner as the News. It is quite certain that hosts of honest members of their party at heart agree with these papers and with the Liberals that it would be much better to repeal this wretched act and go back to the old plan of using the Provincial voters' lists.

THE ADVERTISER AND THE EDITOR.

The seventh annual convention of the National Editorial Association is now being held at St. Paul, Minnesota. The object of the Association, according to President STEPHENS, is to bring the newspapers of the country to a better understanding of their interests and of each other, a higher conception of their duties, and a more thorough organization for their own benefit and protection. Naturally Mr. STEPHENS referred to advertising, and in the consideration of this important feature of journalism he deplored the presence of the advertising agent, who stood between the press and the advertiser, and who, without an interest in either, absorbed the lion's share of the profits. "The fact is," went on Mr. STEPHENS, "a vast number of newspapers are accepting advertising from agents at actual loss, when they should just as well have it at a fair profit." A. H. SIEGFRIED, of New York, followed President STEPHENS in an address entitled "the Counting Room." Mr. SEIGFRIED held that there should be no alliance between the counting room and the editorial room. "A newspaper should be made up stairs and sold down stairs with no manner of thought except as to its readers. A newspaper thus conducted becomes invaluable to the advertiser, yet comparatively few publishers and advertisers ever see the absolute value of this plain principle in newspaper ethics, and so the daily and nightly fact is, that the average publisher is always yielding and truckling to the advertiser, and the agressive advertiser is forever demanding some new concession which, even in his own interest, if he could see but an inch beyond his own nose, he ought never to want." Mr. SEIGFRIED also opposed the sandwiching of advertisements between reading matter. Mr. SEIGFRIED, to sum up, would have an ideal newspaper. The editor within his sphere should be a sort of literary czar, untrammeled by the sordid considerations which so largely are at the bottom of all human action.

The editor confraternity to a man will subscribe to these sentiments. Aside from the ethical features of the case, which constantly haunt the editor in the making up of his sheet, it would relieve him of a very harassing feature could he feel independent of the exacting and domineering advertiser. It is exasperating enough to have "old subscriber" tell the editor how he should run his paper, but when an advertising patron drops into the sanctum complaining of sins of commission or omission as the case may be, and threatens to transfer his patronage to an "esteemed contemporary" the editor's cup of misery simply overflows. Tact! In the presence of an hostile advertiser, heaven help the editor who has not tact. Pride, self-respect, honor, all conspire to incite him to a rash act, but he must be diplomatic and with soft words turn away the wrath and appease the disgust of his advertising patron. Small wonder is it that there are signs of revolt in the ranks of the editor; that, indeed, his war cry is already initiated: "the newspaper should be published up stairs and sold down stairs!" But how is the editor to escape the man who because he advertises must have his axe ground? There seems to be nothing for him to do but educate the advertiser to believe that honest, candid newspapers are the best advertising medium. Given to sharp practice as the constituency of a newspaper may be, it likes to feel that the press is disinterested. The disinterested paper is always the favorite; it is the widest read; the veriest rascal invariably turns to that kind of a paper for information. Such a paper is a guarantee of the integrity of its advertising patrons, and it cannot be doubted that the advertiser gets full value for his outlay.

Let, then, the advertiser never venture "up-stairs." Let the editor publish his paper as he thinks best. No editor knowingly will publish matter calculated to be injurous to the innocent, while on the other hand the business, or the political policy that will not bear the test of candid discussion is a kind of business and a kind of political policy that the public is well rid of.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The people of the Northwest Territorries are congratulating themselves on the near prospect of emancipation from the despotism of Governor ROYAL. By the bill which Mr. DEWDNEY is carrying through the House it is provided that the Territorial Assembly shall be composed altogether of members elected by the people, that the Assembly shall have control of all revenues from whatever source derived, and that the liquor traffic shall be governed by local option. This measure will deprive Mr. ROYAL of nearly all the peculiar powers which he has yielded in so unpopular a fashion and will place the territories on practically the same footing as the provinces. Hints from Ottawa seem to foreshadow the establishment of the new order of things before another session of the Assembly is held.

In the Newcastle Chronicle lately appeared the following letter from one JOHN MEILER, who wrote from Oakenshaw Colliery, Durham:

SIR:—A Son of Albion suggests that England should adopt the policy of the United States and put a tariff on foreign goods. Now, I have been a resident in the States more than four years, and I assert that the protective tariff does not keep up the wages of the workmen—the masses. It keeps up the wages of only the few to the disparagement of the many. Agriculture, including everything, of course, that is directly the outcome of the farm, is the staple produce of the United States, and the farmers for many years have been handicapped most shockingly by the protective tariff. Hence the Farmers' society to protest against it. But we must not forget that the States can live independently of the outside world. Not so England. England must be beholden to other countries for much of the real necessaries of life. What good would it do them to tax those articles? It would not affect the importer, or the country from whence the articles came, but only the people who bought them. Free trade benefits the bulk, protection injures the bulk. Free trade is in keeping with genuine freedom: let us be free.

Such is the spirit which the Imperial Trade League has to meet among the masses of English workingmen, who are not very likely to stand quietly by and see their food taxed for the sake of an imperialist dream.

SEAL SKINS.

TO THE EDITOR:—An item published in your paper some days ago, somewhat incorrect, but in its incorrectness having no bearing whatever upon D. Urquhart, or having no reference to any business of his, has been the means of arousing the meddlesome capacity of that gentleman to such a degree, that for his benefit and lest he should suffer another relapse, or more properly another acute attack of the same complaint in a matter which does not concern him, we beg to state that the words in the item referred to by him, viz., "That Messrs. Carne & Munsie shipped 4702 skins, the catch of three schooners," were incorrect only as regards the number of schooners. The number of skins and their estimated value were quite reliable.
CARNE & MUNSIE.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

LACROSSE.

At a meeting of the Westminster Lacrosse Club Friday night it was decided to ask the Victoria club to play the schedule match fixed for August 8th on the first day of the month instead. The McLean-Peterson race occurs on the 8th, and the players are anxious to see this event, which they would miss if the lacrosse match was played on the same afternoon. An exhibition game with Vancouver will probably be arranged for August 15th, should Victoria consent to play on the 1st of August.

It is very likely the local team will not be ready with the Caledonian grounds for the match with Westminster on the 8th, although they may be quite willing to have the game postponed for a week.

In practice last night Healy played a remarkably good game; so did Cowan and Dempster. Blight was himself. It is noticeable that George Tite, Tommy Cusack and Alex Kenning have not attended the practices very well of late. Shedden is showing well and will likely play with the club next game. The boys must, however, go in for practice or it will be the old tale of whipped dog after the next match.

LAWN TENNIS.

VICTORIA LAWN TENNIS CLUB.

At a meeting of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club last evening it was decided to hold the annual tournament on August 10th and succeeding days till the events are finished. The tournament usually lasts a week. At present the programme of events consists of the open singles contest, the winner of which will have the right of challenging Mr. Lange, the present champion of British Columbia. There is also the club handicap, singles and doubles, the ladies' open singles, the winner of which has the right to challenge Miss Barclay, who now holds the championship of the Province, and the veterans' singles, five to enter or no contest.

The tournament will take place on the club grounds, Belcher street, which are in splendid order. Everthing promises a successful tournament if only a good interest in the game is maintained.

AQUATICS.

McLean the oarsman is in splendid condition for his race with Peterson. His muscles are in excellent order, firm, flexible and subtle, and strong as ever. His general health for some time past has been capital, while the training which he is now undergoing has placed him in the best possible condition to pull a winning race. McLean is quite confident that he can defeat Peterson, but recognizes that he has a hard man to meet.

CRICKET

The Victoria Cricket Club will play the Vancouver Club at Vancouver on Saturday next.

The San Francisco team will probably play here about the 5th or 6th of August or both days. It is expected that the visitors will play a good game, because they are said to have several old hands with them. One of them is a former member of the crack Australian team.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Read Erskine's add on fine shoes. *

Stockton Frisco flour. R. H. Jamieson, 33 Fort.

The firemen's tournament committee meets at the City Hall this evening.

For good value in cook stoves call on McLennan & McFeeley.

The new Presbyterian Church at Victoria West, is nearly completed.

The steamer Olympian brought a large number of sheep from the Sound this morning.

To exchange houses for vacant lots, at No 9, Trounce avenue. Young, Bartlett & Co. Will build houses after your own plans on the instalment plan.

There will be consumption among raspberries this evening at the social to be given by the ladies aid of St. Paul's Victoria West.

If you want the finest dress suit, call on Simpkins & Simpson, 86 Government street. *

The street committee to-day granted the use of Jumbo and a sprinkling cart for the purpose of preparing the lacrosse grounds.

Tenders are being called for by Thos. Hooper for the erection of a brick and stone church on the Gorge road. This is for the Methodist congregation and has been already described.

Mason's reliable glass or porcelain lined top fruit jars, all sizes. Tin top jellies and agate preserving kettles, at Weiler Bros.

Some thoughtless person yesterday set fire to a portion of the fence on Esquimalt road, about half way. There was much damage done, as the fire entered the brush and spread for some distance.

Do not fail to see some of those modern cottages that Young & Bartlett, the land and building brokers have just put on the market. *

The catch of salmon on the Fraser Saturday was as poor as the day before. It seems to lessen each day, for some men who got one fish on Friday got nothing Saturday, and expected to get less the next time they went out.

Another large consignment of those extra value men's $2.50 laced and Congress Shoes, also $2.00 Oxford, just received at the One Price Cash House of Carmichael & Paterson, 35 Johnson street.

The Pilot returned from the Cape yesterday, having taken the bark Rufus Elwood to sea from Nanaimo. She left last evening to tow the bark Duke of Argyle from Vancouver to Tacoma.

Blotches, pimples, liver patches,
G. M. D. right quick dispatches,
Drives away incipient tumors,
Clears the blood from poisonous humors,
Ailing one, whoe'er you be,
Try the worth of G. M. D.—
which is the great Golden Medical Discovery of Dr. Pierce—a wonderful tonic and blood-purifier. The "Discovery" is a standard remedy for consumption, bronchitis, colds and lung troubles; guaranteed to benefit in case, if taken in time, or money refunded.

THE CITY AND DISTRICT

Very Suit-able.

D. Campbell & Co., the leading tailors, are offering $30 suits made to order—worth a great deal more. *

We Told You So.

Sugar, 16 pounds for $1; flour, per sack, $1.40; creamery butter per pound, 25, at Wm. Eckert's, 106 Yates street.

Arrived O. K.

A fine stock of Razor strops; a complete line of shaving materials, etc. Pocket Cutlery, Scissors, Table Cutlery direct from Sheffield, at Fox's, 78 Government street. Call and examine. *

Stop Paying Rent,

As a home can be secured from the owners on time, No. 9 Trounce avenue. $100 down and $25 a month and be paying for a home. Call and have a talk with Young, Bartlett & Co., No. 9 Trounce Avenue. *

A Chestnut Social.

Socials have got as far as chestnuts now; what they will stop at is difficult to tell. The latest is a chestnut social on Thursday at Victoria West in aid of the organ fund of St. Savior's church. The chestnuts will be flavored with raspberries and cream, tea and cake.

A Grand Concert.

A grand concert will be held in the Gorge Road Methodist Church next Monday evening under the auspices of the ladies' aid, by Messrs. Smith and Webb, the Emeral Duet. Local talent will also assist at the concert, which promises to be one of the best of the season.

Just One More Wanted

The real estate men are making an effort to close their offices at 6 o'clock every evening, and have almost unanimously signed a requisition agreeing to do so. There is only one firm holding out, and the remainder are in hopes that this will not be for long. They would like to have the pleasant summer evenings free from the cares of business.

When Will it be Done.

About four weeks ago the street committee asked the council to allow them to have Government street between Fort and James Bay bridge put in proper condition. The council granted the request, but as yet not a hole, and there are lots of them, has been filled up. The street is a disgraceful condition, it being an almost impossibility for a horse to trot over it.

An Unusual Collision.

A lady wheeling a youngster in a buggy on the sidewalk on Langley street this morning must have been somewhat alarmed when a "safety" bicycle dashed out of Chancery Lane and into the perambulator. Nobody was hurt, but the mishap suggested the idea that there would have been no greater danger if the baby had happened to have been riding the bicycle and the young man had been snugly occupying the child's carriage.

The Horticultural Exhibition.

The prize list for the coming exhibition of the Horticultural Society on August 11, 12, is now ready and can be had of Mr. W. H. Bambridge. Including first, second and third prizes there are over 300 prizes offered, the exhibits including pot plants grown at least one month previous to the exhibition and the property of the exhibitor during that period, cut bloom boquets, and fruits grown and owned by the exhibitor.

He Did Not Wait.

A few days ago a man who gave his name as Smith, but is better known as Kelly, arrived in the harbor with his sloop, telling the customs officials that he had come in for provisions. Kelly has not got the best reputation in the world, especially in the minds of the police and customs officials so he was ordered to report at the custom house the morning after his arrival. He, however, refrained from doing this by setting sail and clearing out of reach.

Testimony of Burned Cities.

At the Gorge Road Church last evening Rev. Coverdale Watson gave a very interesting lecture on the testimony of burned cities to the truths of the Bible. He spoke about the strange people, the Hittites, who, sceptics say, never existed, but about whom so much is now being learned in the scientific and historical discoveries that are being made. Babylon and Nineveh also furnished material for the lecturer to interest his audience, and he used his points well in the defence of the truth of Christianity.

All Comfortably Housed.

There are now 11 men comfortably housed in the Old People's Home. They are all dressed in neat suits and looked as happy as possible. Their names are George Hughes, Wm. Raby, S. Burgess, Wm. Nicholl, August Miller, Jno. Graham A. Smith, Geo. Williams, Jas. McFadden, John Kane, David Little and John Johnston. Kane is the only man that is altogether helpless, and he cannot do as much for himself as a baby. Smith, however, looks after him. There is still room for five or six more men in the house

House-breaking.

A young man residing on Cormorant street had quite a time with a burglar a few nights ago. The house-breaker was heard prowling around and as the young man was unarmed he considered it advisable to remain quietly in bed, while the burglar rummaged around the house. After waiting a few minutes the rays of a dark lantern were turned on the bed. The occupant then began to shout "murder," and the burglar jumped out of the window. A number of people residing in the neighborhood ran to the house but the housebreaker had made good his escape without stealing anything.

Making Headway.

King & Dickinson, the well known contractors, who recently completed a large rock cut for the U.P. and N.P.R.R.'s between Seattle and Portland, are getting along nicely with their grading and rock cut on the railroad between Burrows Bay and Ship Harbor. They have over two months' work at Burrows Bay, building wharves, depots and large coal bunkers. The new drive way from Anacortes to Fidalgo City via the lakes is completed. Lakes Whistle and Heist are full of spreckled trout. These two lakes are 1½ miles from Fidalgo Bay and Burrows Bay, on this drive there are several fine ranches. Mr. Lathson, an old settler, has a cosy home.

Go to Tom Graham's

For bargains in Clothing and Gent's Furnishings, next to Cheapside, Government street. *

Make no Mistake.

All watches (however complicated) left in the hands of Jackson & Mylius, the jewelers, will be carefully attended to with dispatch. All work guaranteed. Read our advertisement.

The Place to go to.

To make room for our new stock of goods that is coming, we will sell the stock in hand consisting of gent's furnishing, etc., at prices that have no equal. Our children's jersey suits will all be sold at cost. Lion Gent's Furnishing House, 74 Yates street.

Should be Removed.

For weeks past there has been a pile of old plaster in front of the Pandora Street Methodist Church which the owners evidently wish to have distributed by the wind. Every time a little breeze springs up the fine dust from the heap is carried up and down the street by the bushel, not by any means to the pleasure of pedestrians.

The Empress of India.

The C.P.R. steamer Empress of India arrived off the outer wharf about 5 o'clock this morning from the Orient. The steamer Maude went out to her and brought in the mail and passengers for Victoria. She only lay here an hour and left for Vancouver at 6 o'clock.

The Victoria passengers were J. W. Cockerham and wife, M. Brown wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bevan and daughter, and J. H. Orange.

It Affects the Shipwrights.

There are murmurs to be head among local shipwrights about imported labor. It is not against China or the Chinese this time; it is against the British government. The Admiralty have sent out a body of artificers or shipwrights to take off the sheathing and repair the Warspite generally, and local shipwrights are of opinon that men sufficiently skilled could be found here to do all that is needed to the vessel. They are accordingly going to appoint a deputation to wait on Admiral Hotham to make representations to this effect.

There Will be no Gorge Park.

It will be remembered that some time since the city, in compliance with a generally expressed wish of the public, communicated with Mr. Yates with a view to obtaining, for public park purposes, a portion of land on the city side of the Gorge bridge. The tract is between eight and nine acres in extent, and for this the corporation offered $2000 per acre. Mr. Yates, however, declines to sell any portion of the land for this purpose, and therefore the idea of securing this property is for the present abandoned. He instructed Mr. Yates, the solicitor, to inform the city to this effect. The latter gentleman expresses his regret at this decision, for he took a great deal of trouble to obtain the land for a park, knowing how much needed it is in that spot.

The Firemen's Tournament.

The committee on the firemen's tournament calls for a public meeting of citizens in the City Hall this evening. This is an affair which will do more in the way of advertising the city than a good deal spent in literature, and a crowded meeting is expected. The object is to consider the best way of receiving and treating the visitors so that their good opinion of Victoria shall not be dependent solely on its scenic beauty or commercially advantageous position.

The executive committee of the Association met in Portland on Monday afternoon to arrange the programme. The local committee have received notice that teams will be present from Spokane, Corvallis, Albany, Whatcom, New Westminster, Vancouver, Fairhaven, Astoria, Port Angeles, Port Townsend, Nanaimo, Seattle, Tacoma and East Portland. The list of contests and prizes will be issued shortly. The citizens should give every encouragement to the tournament and meeting of the association.

A New Quartz Mine.

The Thunder Hill Mining Company is the name of a new organization to develop a mine situated about two miles from the Upper Columbia Lake. The trustees for the company are: Major Nicholles, Joseph Hunter, W. F. Bullen, D. R. Ker, and W. J. Taylor; W. H. Bainbridge, secretary. The work of development has been going on quietly for some time. Mr. James Brady, mining expert says of it: The lode on Thunder Hill claim is an unusually large one, the quartz outcrop extending nearly all across the 600 ft. included in the width of the claim, and the west wall has not yet been found. It seems to be formed by the junction of several large vein which cross Findlay Creek about one and a half miles south, and come together, forming one immense mineralized lode on Thunder Hill, which is a high steep bench like ridge running north and south from Findlay Creek towards the main Purcell range. The course of the lode is nearly north and south, and dip (where it has been ascertained on the east side) nearly vertical. The country rock is crystalline slate with innumerable veins and seams of quartz through it, and many greenstone dykes. The summits are generally granite or granitic rock. The claim has been cross cut on top nearly the whole width, showing mineralized quartz for the greater portion of the distance.

HOMES WITH OR WITHOUT MONEY

At No. 9, Trounce Avenue.

Homes can be secured from the owners, with from five to nine large, well lighted and ventilated rooms, with fireplaces, electric lights, plate glass windows, electric bells, large clothes presses, pantrys, and china closets, on lots ranging from 50x100 to 90x120, all within one block of the Oak Bay tram line, at prices ranging from $1800 to $3500 cash or on the installment plan. We build by the wholesale and can sell, and will sell as cheap as anything on the market.

YOUNG, BARTLETT & CO.

We Mean What We Say.

Call and inspect the stock of Jackson & Mylius. They have the finest stock of jewelry in the city and their prices are correct. 76 Government street, Colonist building, is the place.

Big Gun Drill.

No. 2 battery B.C.G.A., were at Macaulay's Point yesterday at big gun drill. This morning No. 4 battery went out. To-day's shooting is the best.

A Social.

The social in St. Savior's church, Victoria West, on Thursday evening, will be a pleasant affair. The ladies are striving to make it a most successful event, and no doubt they will succeed.

The Missing Midshipmen.

There is no further news of the missing midshipmen up to the time of going to press, beyond the fact that the canoe found has been proved to be that in which the boy Montmorency went. There was a report this morning that he had been found near Pedder Bay, but this proved to be without foundation in fact.

Retired Temporarily.

The police court proceedings this morning were of a somewhat more interesting character than usual. Hector Elliott took a fancy to Mr. McDonald's whiskey. Mr. McDonald lives on the Esquimalt road, and Elliott took advantage of the loneliness of this section so far as police are concerned, to appropriate the whiskey. The evidence in the case was for a time in his favor, but he was proved guilty and was sentenced to six months' imprisonment by the presiding magistrate, Mr. Edwin Johnson.

Mrs. Jackson, who was said to follow the occupation of healer by electricity, was in some way mixed up in the same case, only the charge against her was of stealing a stuffed pheasant. She pleaded not guilty, but, after the evidence, changed her mind and decided to follow Elliott for three months.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, held last evening in Temperance Hall, was a grand success. Every available seat was occupied and standing room was scarce. The chair was occupied by Mrs. Grant, the President, who opened the meeting with a few well chosen remarks. On the platform were the officers of the W.C.T.U.; I.O.G.T.; R.T.O.T. The reports given by the ladies showed that a great deal of work had been done during the year and the results were most encouraging. The society is evidently in a very healthy state and is rapidly growing in interest and importance. After the programme was over, refreshments were served which consisted of an abundance of ice cream, raspberries and cake. On Thursday next at 2:30 p.m., the members of the Union will meet at Temperance Hall to elect their officers for the ensuing year and also to elect delegates to attend the convention which will be held at Vancouver, August 4, 5, and 6th in the interests of the W.C.T.U. work.

Sunday's Drowning Case.

Coroner Morrison held an inquest this afternoon on the body of the boy Albert Edwards, who met his death by the drowning accident on Sunday last, the particulars of which sad affair appeared in yesterday's issue. There was nothing new adduced in the evidence given by Messrs. Match, McIntosh, and Provincial Officer McNiel, and after a short deliberation the chairman of the jury, Mr. Erskine, presented the following verdict on behalf of the jurymen, who were Messrs. F. G. Norris, W. McKeown, Cooke, Jones and Marshall:

We find that the boy, Albert Edwards, came to his death through the capsizing of a boat and consequent exposure about three miles outside Victoria harbor on the evening of the 19th of July, about 5 o'clock.

No further trace of the remaining bodies has been found, and people acquainted with the currents of that locality are of opinion that there is but small chance of recovering them.

The funeral of the boy took place this afternoon from Lockhart's undertaking rooms, the little white coffin bearing the simple inscription "At Rest."

THE ISLANDER'S TRIP.

She Leaves To-Morrow on Her Excursion to the North.

The Islander, which leaves to-morrow morning on an excursion trip to the north, will have a merry party on board. Among the passengers who will go up are J. Cunningham, Mrs. R. B. Prenseyne, Miss Hall, Miss Woodman, D. W. Weimer, D. Boyd, F. W. Grant, F. Beck, T. G. Raynor, E. L. Anderson, Mrs. Witmore, Miss Rooklidge, Mrs. Rooklidge, Geo. Marty, and H. Bell-Irving. She will also take up a good load of freight for the different points along the coast.

The officers of the steamer are Capt. John Irving, Pilot Roberts, Purser Munro, 1st Officer Williams, Chief-Engineer Brownlee, and Chief Steward Lydall.

The Islander will go as far north as the boundary between British Columbia and Alaska, going into all the little bays and straits on the way up. It is one of the prettiest trips that could be taken, besides being a very interesting one. The old Indian villages along the coast are visited, and the passengers given a chance to see the habits of the northern Indians.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

SUPREME COURT CHAMBERS.

(Before Mr. Justice Drake.)

Johnson, Walker & Flett vs. Milne Bros.—Plaintiffs applied for an order to sign and enter final judgment for the sum of $249.37 and costs, to be taxed. Judgment was given by the court for $267.91. S. P. Mills for plaintiffs; Chas. Wilson for defendants.

Gray vs. McCallum.—Application was made by defendant for an order fixing day of trial, which the court granted for August 3rd, before a special jury. F. G. Walker for plaintiff; E. V. Bodwell for defendant.

Gray vs. Dexter.—Plaintiff applied for an order calling on defendant to give particulars and dates of certain charges, costs and expenses mentioned in their statement of defence. The court granted the order. D. M. Eberts for plaintiff; Chas. Wilson for defendant.

King & Casey vs. Sayward.—This was an application for leave to sign final judgment. The court granted judgment for $663.45. D. M. Eberts for plaintiff.

People say the Dominion Hotel is the place for a 25 cent meal. Twenty-one meal tickets for $4.50.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

VACILLATING VERNON.

HOW OUR PUBLIC LANDS ARE ADMINISTERED.

The Chief Commissioner's Favoritism—Playing Battledore and Shuttlecock With Important Public Affairs—A Man who Don't Know his own Mind.

PORT SIMPSON LANDS.—Having received instructions from the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to withdraw from the sale the lands at Port Simpson advertised to be sold on Wednesday next, the 22nd inst., notice is hereby given that the said sale will not be held.

W. R. CLARKE,
Auctioneer.

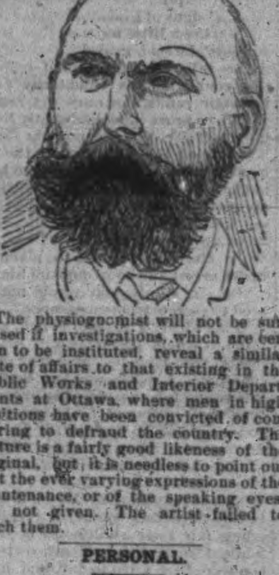
The above advertisement appeared in this morning's Colonist. The sale to which it refers has been advertised for several weeeks.

And thereby "hangs a tale" that will yet be told, either in cold print or by sworn evidence before a committee of the legislature. All the political scandals of this year of grace, 1891, are not centered in Ottawa. At the Federal capital, no doubt, the gamesters play for higher stakes, and there are more gamblers there than in Victoria, who go in for a grand jack-pot; but our Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works knows how to play a lone hand, when the stakes are worth the risk. The gambler who plays with cards up his sleeve is pretty certain to win the game; and, for the same reason, when Mr. George Forbes Vernon is the interpreter of the Land Act—the dealer, so to speak, of the cards—the play is unequal and the honest applicant for land is at a fatal disadvantage.

These Port Simpson lands, now withdrawn from the market, will form the subject of future investigation. The inquiry will disclose these facts:

Friends of the Minister applied for certain lands in township 1, range 5, coast district, but made no attempt to comply with the act, which says that unless an initial post is planted at one angle or corner of the land applied for, "all proceedings taken by the applicant shall be void." Subsequently, but without having any knowledge of the application of Mr. Vernon's friends, A. E. Green, A. E. Bolton, R. H. Hall, M.P.P., and half a dozen others applied for the same parcels of lands, which are all situated on the peninsula near Port Simpson, and are expected to become valuable when another railway pierces the mountains from the east. At present, or rather without railway connection, the lands are useless—their value is entirely prospective. Messrs. Green and others claim to have complied in every particular with the requirements of the Land Act. They advertised in the B. C. Gazette, planted the corner stakes, tendered their money to the Department, etc., but they found that there was a power behind the law stronger than the law itself. That power was Vernon. There then began between the Lands and Works Department and the counsel for A. E. Green and others a highly interesting and instructive correspondence, in the course of which Vernon was shown to know as little about the Land Act as he does about common justice and fairplay. At first Vernon claimed that his friends were entitled to the land, on the ground that "in each case the applicant after expiry of the 60 days notice made formal application and tendered 10 per cent. deposit, which was accepted as no protest had been filed within the period provided by the Act and as no rival claimant had appeared." This is Vernon's language, but strange to say, the Act does not specify any time for filing a protest, as the head of the department alleged, and when invited to descend to particulars the big Minister was dumb. Then Mr. Green and his friends presented their checks, which were returned, on the ground that the other applicants, being entitled to the land, were about to receive crown grants for the same, and in the Minister's opinion it would be extremely unsatisfactory to issue two crown grants for the same piece of property. This, counsel allege, is the only sensible observation made by Mr. Vernon in his correspondence. The checks, which covered the 10 per cent. deposit, were again forwarded to the department and again returned to Green and others. At this stage of the proceedings Cæsar was appealed to, and a writ was issued against Forbes G. Vernon and F. G. Barnard, the plaintiffs asking that an injunction should issue restraining the former from issuing, and the latter from receiving, a crown grant. Vernon was then either at Blarney Castle, or at some one of the other ancestral homes in Ireland, and it was inconvenient to serve him with the legal process. The Attorney-General was disobliging and would not accommodate the plaintiffs, declining to accept service on behalf of his colleague, but he promised that if proceedings were stayed there would be an investigation and the lands would be given to the applicants who were, under the law, entitled to them. Legal proceedings were discontinued, and in due time an investigation was held in Vernon's office. The rival claimants appeared, and it was shown, to the satisfaction of Vernon himself, that the friends of the minister had omitted to plant stakes, which was fatal to their contentions; while Green & Co. had in this and in other respects complied with the act. But this did not beat Vernon. The cards were stacked and he dealt again. He declared that neither of the rival claimants were entitled to the lands. Failing to secure them for his "pals," he would not give them to other parties, and so, regardless of his own decision in the first place and of the law, which declares that in the event of rival claimants appearing the land in dispute shall be put up to tender between them, the Chief Commissioner advertised the property for sale by auction. In every instance he acted illegally, and contrary to the provisions of the Land Act. He now, at the eleventh hour, withdraws the land, and poor vacillating Vernon does not know at this moment what steps to take next.

Thus is our Lands and Works Department run, and here is a faithful representation of the man who runs it:



The physiognomist will not be surprised if investigations, which are certain to be instituted, reveal a similar state of affairs to that existing in the Public Works and Interior Departments at Ottawa, where men in high positions have been convicted of conspiring to defraud the country. The picture is a fairly good likeness of the original, but it is needless to point out that the ever varying expressions of the countenance, or of the speaking eyes, are not given. The artist failed to catch them.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

C. E. Woods, of Westminster, is in town.

Judge A. F. Tullis, of Tacoma, has returned home.

Strood Redgrave leaves on his vacation to-morrow.

Sergt. Walker left for the Sound this morning on his vacation.

Thos. E. Ladner and wife, and E. Ladner, are at the Driard.

S. D. Schultz left for the Sound cities and Portland this morning.

Mrs. G. A. Sargison left this morning via the C.P.R. for Hamilton, Ont.

Wm. Christie, of the C.P.R. telegraph office, has been sick for several days.

Rev. P. Yorke leaves to-morrow by the City of Puebla for San Francisco.

Judge H. M. Ramsay and wife, of St. Joseph Mission, left for home via the C.P.R.

Rev. W. C. Curtis, wife and son, of The Dalls, Oregon, are the guests of Mr. A. J. McLellan of this city.

Lady Flolke, Miss Flolke and Mrs. Hammond, who have been spending a few days at Duncan's, returned to town to-day.

J. H. Brownlee, of Croasdaile & Co., is temporarily confined to the house in consequence of the injuries he received in the runaway accident Friday evening at Mount Tolmie.

Dr. Blanchard, V. S., left on this morning's mainland boat for Vancouver, where he will attend the meeting of pharmacists who will discuss principally the question of registration.

Mining News.

Mining experts note that cholera never attacks the bowels of the earth, but humanity in general find it necessary to use Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for bowel complaints, dysentery, diarrhœa, etc. It is a sure cure.

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CHAPTER XIV.

THE PRODIGAL SON RETURNS.

The Stone river is a sluggish stream, bordered by cedar-brakes, which flows with muddy waters through a swampy country four miles from Murfreesboro.

On the 30th of December its placid banks are bristling with the armed men of two great forces—on its left, Rosecrans with fifty thousand warriors; on its right, between it and the city, Bragg with as many more.

Rosecrans has said: "I will mass my strength on the left, and crush the enemy's right."

Bragg has re-echoed the words: "I will strike them on the right with my left."

The dawn of the 31st was wrapped in a dense fog; and Bragg, eager to secure the advantage of striking first, dashed furiously on the Federal right, of which two divisions fell back, losing their guns and leaving many prisoners behind. But Sheridan's brave fellows stand like a rock beaten by the waves: and by this tremendous effort Rosecrans is enabled to form his line afresh, on which, from the cedar-brakes they had won, the Confederates hurl themselves with gallant recklessness. Four times they charge: four times they are repulsed when the cry is, "Breckenridge comes with seven thousand men," and twice again they rush to the attack, but Northern firmness stands the shock of Southern dash, and before they can again re-form, night in pity draws a mantle o'er the scene.

On New Year's day both armies rested from the conflict.

On the 2d, Bragg made some demonstrations to find out what Buell meant to do, and why he had not, as he so fully expected, sounded a retreat. He soon learned to his cost. The Northern General had made his position a citadel, from which he could rally and strike at any point, or break the fury of his charging foe.

On this in vain the gallant Confederates advanced, only to fall back with broken ranks discomfited.

But now the men of Texas came with a rage that nothing seems to stay. In vain the shower of grape pours on that unflinching host. See Colonel Robinson, with the colors in his hands, dash through the abattis and spring upon the embankment, calling on his men to follow! Even his enemies can scarce forbear to cheer the daring feat, or sigh when they see the gallant figure thrown lifeless down. And now the muskets of the Fighting Fourth crash their leaden hail upon his men, burning to avenge his death; and, bleeding and torn, they fall back fighting to the very last.

Down pours the rain on the terrific carnage and the shattered Southern hosts fall back on Murfreesboro.

And where is Frank Besant all this while? Fighting at the head of his company during the heat of the fray you may be sure, but now sadly bending his steps to a clump of trees, under which a group of officers is gathered round a central prostrate figure, over which Doctor Saunders is stooping, while the rest anxiously await his decision.

"Not necessarily mortal," he says at last, with a sigh of relief.

The wounded man is borne tenderly to the field-hospital.

"Who is it? Who is it?" ask several, as the mournful cortege passes them.

"Colonel Fulton of the Fourth—shot through the lungs," is the sad answer.

But Frank and his comrades have another duty before them ere they can lay their weary bones to rest on that eventful night.

"Boys," the Major had cried, "there lies the body of Colonel Robinson. Shall it be said we left that gallant fellow's corpse upon the field without a soldier's funeral, or sign to mark the spot he fell?"

"No, no," came from a score of throats.

So they dug a grave and laid the hero in it—a touching incident, though his only requiem was a salute fired by the hands of his enemies. At the head of the grave they placed a rough board, with rudely-painted characters, which read:

"HERE LIES THE BODY OF
COLONEL ROBINSON,
WHO FELL AT THE BATTLE OF
STONE RIVER,
GLORIOUSLY LEADING THE
SECOND TEXAS REGIMENT.
HE WAS BURIED BY
UNION SOLDIERS,
IN RECOGNITION OF HIS HEROISM."

Rude as the tablet was, simple as the neatly-rounded grave, looked by the lantern light, Frank thought that many a grand mausoleum would bear but poor comparison beside that humble tribute to a brave man's memory, even though the first blasts of winter would destroy the rough memento.

That night they slept upon the battle-field.

Now, it must not be supposed that Charlie Fulton's absence from his post had not caused consternation among his comrades and intense distress to his father. None, however, but Major Hopkins and Frank Besant had attributed suspicious motives to his disappearance, and you may be assured that they kept their own counsel, jealous of their comrade's honor and mindful of their Colonel, whose heart they knew would be broken if his boy fell into disgrace, so it was generally accepted that he had ridden farther than was prudent and had fallen into the toils of the enemy. But the Major and Frank had drawn the worst conclusions, especially when the latter learned from the pickets the direction the absentee had taken when he started on the journey from which he had never returned. Besant hoped against hope, but Hopkins vowed that he had sold himself body and soul for a pretty face, and had gone over to the enemy.

"He always had preposterous ideas of Southern chivalry," the Major said, "and it only wanted the witchery of this woman to tip the scale of his unbalanced mind and land him headlong in ruin," a supposition the younger man had not the courage to controvert.

It can readily be imagined, then, how his heart beat with renewed hope when on the afternoon of the 3d, while a fearful storm was raging, which will never be forgotten by those who shivered 'neath its blasts, an old colored man crept into camp, anxiously inquiring for him. He bore a letter written on a crumpled leaf of paper and inclosed in an empty rifle cartridge-shell, which the wary messenger had carried in his mouth for security's sake and which he gravely assured Frank he would have swallowed if he had been caught by the enemy.

Hastily unfolding it, Besant read the pencilled lines:

"FRIEND FRANK: I have been for some weeks a prisoner. This morning they moved me from Murfreesboro to a mill four miles down the river from your camp. We are only under a guard of eight men and a sergeant, besides some invalids, who won't count in a scrimmage. You and a dozen boys of the Fourth might readily effect a rescue if you think me worth the risk. Bragg has given orders for a retreat at daybreak, so if you don't hurry it will be all up with your unfortunate friend, CHARLIE FULTON."

Rewarding the faithful negro beyond his wildest expectations, Frank hurried to the Major with his glad tidings, but to his surprise his senior evinced no especial signs of gratification.

"You are a little too sanguine, Frank, my boy," he said, gravely, "but though we are relieved of the pain of believing the young man is voluntarily absent from our ranks, the onus yet remains on him to prove how innocently he fell into captivity. You see, now the Colonel is wounded, the command of the regiment devolves on me for the time being, and, considering the responsibilities of my position, I do not for the life of me see how, if you brought him back, knowing what I do know, I have any other alternative than to place him under arrest and court-martial him."

"Oh, sir, surely you would not proceed to such extreme measures!"

"I am afraid I should, Frank, and, if I did, it would go far to kill his poor father, who now lies in a very critical condition. I guess we had better let this young fellow paddle his own canoe for a time—a dose of Libby prison will go a long way to ameliorate his high-flown sentiments on Southern chivalry."

"That is not spoken like Major Hopkins."

"Nor is it spoken by Major Hopkins, but by the acting-Colonel of a regiment, whose fair fame shall never be stained while I command. If my own dead son were here alive to-day, and he had done what Charles Fulton has, I would order him under arrest without an instant's hesitation."

Frank was awed to silence by the Major's earnestness.

"You see, Besant," the older man continued, "I am in possession of facts concerning which you know nothing."

A spark of intelligence flashed in Frank's brain.

"And your informant, sir, was James Lawson?" he asked eagerly

"If so, what then?"

"Only, sir, that you are condemning a man of honor on the word of as base a scoundrel as ever lied to forward his miserable ends," was the hot reply.

"That may be, but even an inveterate liar may speak the truth, if it suits his purpose."

"Granted, Major; but are you quite sure that the truth did suit his purpose in this instance?"

For reply the Major took from his pocket-book a torn piece of paper, on which was some writing in pencil, and handed it to his subordinate, with the remark:

"I am committing no breach of confidence in showing you this. Do you recognize the hand that penned this treacherous scrawl?"

Frank read the lines eagerly; they contained a brief but succinct description of Buell's position at Nashville, were addressed to Miss Lascelles, and were signed, "your devoted friend, C. F."

Frank's eyes blazed with triumph.

"Do I recognize the hand-writing, Major?" he cried excitedly. "Indeed, I do! I see James Lawson's ear-marks on every up-stroke and down-stroke of this villainous composition. Why, the pitiful rascal has not even taken the trouble to disguise the characters."

"You are sure of this?"

"Well, you shall judge for yourself, sir," Frank declared, taking a letter from his pocket which contained an inclosure. "Here is a note Lawson wrote to a lady friend of mine at Meltonburg, containing such a libelous account of my conduct that in sheer disgust she sent it to me, as she says, to put me on my guard against the fellow's vindictiveness."

It was a study to watch the Major's face as he compared the two documents.

Turning to an orderly he said, sternly: "Go to company F and tell the officer on duty to send Private Lawson under guard to me at once."

In a few minutes, during which both officers maintained a moody silence, the messenger returned.

"Private Lawson, sir," he said, saluting, "is reported missing. He was fired on this morning by the sentry as he was seen making for the enemy's lines, but escaped unhurt."

The cloud of doubt cleared from the Major's brow as he clasped Frank's hand, and said heartily: "May be I was wrong in judging Fulton, and he will perhaps be able to clear himself of any charge more serious than a breach of discipline. Any how, Frank, you shall fetch the lad back and give him a chance of explanation. Take as many men of your own company as you like—volunteers, mind—and manage the affair just how you please. It could not be in better hands."

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2. To purchase, or to take under any concession, lease, or in exchange, to hire, or otherwise acquire, settle, improve, farm and cultivate lands of any tenure, franchises, and hereditaments situate in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, and any mines, minerals ships, steamboats, barges and other vessels, engines, railway waggons, tanks, reservoirs, manufacturing plant, apparatus, and stock-in-trade, and any other real and personal property of whatever description (including any rights or privileges), whether the same be unencumbered or subject to any mortgage, charge, lien, easements, privileges, licenses, concessions, or otherwise, and to develop and turn to account the resources of the lands, buildings, water, and other rights, and all other properties for the time being belonging to the Company in such manner as the Company may think fit, and in particular by building any kind of structure thereupon, planting, reclaiming, clearing, mining, quarrying, excavating, road-making, damming, draining, fencing, grazing, farming, and otherwise dealing with and working the same, and to stock lands and farms, and to breed, grow, and deal in all kinds of stock, cattle, horses, sheep, and produce, and to erect and maintain thereon suitable buildings and structures, including slaughtering, refrigerating, and converting establishments.

3. To carry on the business of farmers, graziers, agisters, cattle, sheep, and horse breeders and dealers, meat and fruit preservers, millers, bakers, brewers, planters, miners, metallurgists, smelters, quarry owners, brick makers, builders, contractors for works, both public and private, wool and other merchants, store-keepers, importers and exporters, ship-builders, ship-owners, and any other business which may seem calculated, directly or indirectly, to develop the Company's property, or any part thereof, or which may conveniently be carried on in connection with any other business of the Company.

4. To carry on business as timber merchants, saw-mill proprietors, and timber growers, and to buy, sell, grow, and prepare for market, manipulate, import, export, and deal in timber and wood of all kinds, and to buy, lease, or otherwise acquire, clear, plant and work timber estates or timber rights.

5. To aid, encourage, and promote immigration, emigration, colonization, and settlement, and for such purposes to lend and grant any sums of money, and to act as agents therefor, and to build, lay out, settle, colonize and develop towns and villages on the lands acquired or controlled by the Company from time to time.

6. To search for, prospect, examine and explore mines and grounds supposed to contain minerals or precious stones, and to search for and obtain information in regard to mines, to purchase, locate, or otherwise acquire, and to sell, dispose of, and deal with mines and mining rights of all kinds, and to work, operate, exercise, develop, and turn to account mines and mining rights, and any undertakings connected therewith.

7. To advance money at interest to any person or corporation on the security of freehold and leasehold land, stock, stations, wool, cattle, produce, crops, shares, securities, merchandise, and other property in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, and generally to lend and advance money to such persons, and upon such terms, and subject to such conditions as may seem expedient, and to buy, manufacture, deal in, and sell all kinds of goods, chattels, merchandise, produce, and effects.

8. To construct, execute, carry out, equip, improve, work, administer, manage, or control railways, tramways, warehouses, mills, stores, shops, markets, churches, hospitals, baths, and public and private works of all kinds in the said Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of any property in which the Company is interested.

9. To establish and subsidize any institution, club, or conveniences for the benefit of the Company's employees, and of any tenants or other person in whose welfare the Company is interested, and to provide for their religious, sanitary, social, and educational welfare, and to grant money for these purposes or any of them.

10. To purchase, or otherwise acquire and undertake all or any part of the business, property, and liabilities of any person, firm, or company possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company, or carrying on, or about to carry on, any business which this Company is authorized to carry on, or which is capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this Company, and to enter into partnership, or into any arrangement for sharing profits, for union of interests, reciprocal concession, or co-operation, or amalgamation, either in whole or in part, with any such company, firm or person.

11. To take, or otherwise acquire, and hold, or sell shares, stock, bonds, debentures, or any other interest in any other company, whether British, Colonial or Foreign, in which the liability of the members is limited, having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company, or carrying on any business capable of being conducted so as to directly or indirectly benefit this Company, and to subsidize, or otherwise assist, any such Company.

12. To obtain any provisional order, or Act of Parliament, or legislative provision, decree, or order of any Colony, Government, body, or authority to incorporate the members as a body politic or corporate, in accordance with the laws and constitution of any country or state in which the Company shall be carrying on, or be desirous of carrying on, any of its operations, and to take all steps and do all things necessary to give the Company, or any company subsidiary thereto, a legal domicile in any such country or state, and such legislative powers as will facilitate the carrying into effect of the objects of the Company therein.

13. To borrow and raise money for the purposes of the Company in such manner and upon such terms as the Company shall think fit, and to secure the repayment thereof by bonds or debentures, or by redeemable or unredeemable debenture stock (such bonds, debentures, and debenture stock being to bearer or otherwise), or by any other instruments, or by deposit, receipts, bills of exchange, or promissory notes, or in such other manner as may be determined, and for any such purposes, if so agreed, to charge all or any part of the property of the Company (both present and future) including the uncalled capital.

14. To transact all manner of agency and commission business, and in particular to act as agents for any person or company in the purchase, sale, improvement, or management in any way of any lands, farms, cattle, stock, or other property in the Dominion of Canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, where the company may for the time then being be carrying on business, and to carry on the business of [illegible] commercial, mercantile, shipping or forwarding agents, or agents for any [illegible], [illegible], or other company.

15. To lend or advance money to such persons on such terms as may seem expedient, and in particular to customers of and persons having dealings with the Company, and to guarantee the performance of contracts by members of or persons having dealings with the Company.

16. To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities, and in such manner, as may from time to time be determined, but not in the purchasing of or dealing in the shares of the Company.

17. To make, draw, accept, indorse, discount and execute promissory notes, bills of exchange and other negotiable instruments.

18. To promote any other company for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property, rights and liabilities of the Company, or for any other purpose which may seem directly or indirectly calculated to benefit this Company.

19. To sell, dispose of, by sale, lease, [illegible] body, company, society, or association, or to any person or persons, and in particular to any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this Company, and to accept as the consideration, or part of the consideration, for such disposal, money, stock, shares, debentures, or other securities, either for distribution in specie among the members or otherwise.

20. To use, work, develop, grant licenses and otherwise make profits by dealing with and turning to account all or any part of the undertaking and property of the Company, and for this purpose to determine how much of the proceeds of sale or realization thereof is to be deemed capital, and how much profit, and to distribute any such profits amongst the members in specie or otherwise.

21. To allot the shares of the Company, credited as fully or partly paid up, as the whole or part of the purchase price for any property purchased by the Company, or for any valuable consideration.

22. To remunerate any person or persons for services rendered, or to be rendered, in placing, or guaranteeing the placing, of any shares or securities of the Company, or in relation to the establishment of the Company, or the conduct of its business, and to apply and appropriate such parts of the capital of the Company as may be expedient to the payment of such brokerage, discounts, or other expenses as may be deemed incidental to the formation and promotion of the Company, and the placing of its shares and debentures, or any part thereof.

23. To do all or any of the above things as principals, agents, contractors, trustees, or otherwise; and by or through trustees, agents or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others, and to contract for the carrying on of the operations connected with the Company's business, or any of them, by any person, company, or other association.

24. To carry out the objects comprised in each paragraph of this clause in as full and ample a manner, and construed in as wide a sense as they would be construed if each paragraph of this clause defined the objects of a separate, distinct, and independent company, and so that such objects shall not, except where otherwise expressed in such paragraph, be restricted by reference to the objects indicated in any other paragraph.

25. To do all such other things as in fact are, or as the company shall consider to be, incidental or conducive to the above objects, or any of them, and so that the word "company" in this memorandum, except where used in reference to this company, shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons, whether incorporated or not incorporated, and wherever domiciled.

The amount of the capital stock of the said company is $100,000, divided into 100 founders' shares of $10 each, and 9900 ordinary shares of $10 each.

The place of business of the said company is located at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

In testimony whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal of office, this 30th day of June, 1891, at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

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TRUSTEES WILL NOT LET MR. M'LEOD'S COMPLAINT DROP.

The Superintendent Will Again be Requested to Meet Mr. McLeod at a Meeting of the Board to be Held Next Monday Evening—Other Business.

The first monthly meeting of the new board of school trustees was held at the city hall last evening. Trustee Hayward in the chair and the whole board, consisting of Messrs. Richards, Morrow, McLaughlin, Saunders, McConnan and Jessop being present.

Trustee Hayward said his object in ailing the meeting was on account of he early date at which the schools were o open, and also that an understanding be arrived at regarding the new act which was going to place a great deal more work on the trustees. Mr. Erskine ad kindly consented to act as secre ary pro tem until the board found out hat they were to pay the secretary.

Trustee McConnan thought a mem er of the board should be appointed ecretary until they had an understand ng regarding the act.

Trustee Richards was of opinion that nder the act the secretary could not e a member of the board as in one sec on the act said that the secretary was be paid and another said a trustee as not to receive any compensation.

Trustee Jessop agreed with Trustee IcConnan.

On motion Mr. Erskine was appoint d secretary pro tem.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Several letters pplying for positions the schools were filed until the board new what vacancies there were.

Miss Arrowsmith, of the Hillside ard school, and Miss Armstrong both pplied for a leave of absence after the gular vacation. Their requests were anted, substitutes to be appointed in eir places.

The request of the trustees of the ethodist Church for the use of the ames Bay ward school for Sunday hool and divine worship on Sundays as granted.

A letter was read from the secretary the old board re the complaint of incipal McLeod.

Trustee Richards suggested that the ter received by the old board from r. McLeod be read.

This Trustee McConnan opposed. He id he for one did not want to take up ch a disagreeable matter. It was a bject that should be left to the educa n department.

Trustee Richards moved that the let r be read. He said the matter had en referred to the board and they ould attend to it. If the teachers re intended to do their duty the trus s must stand behind them.

Trustee McLaughlin seconded Trus Richards' motion. He wanted to the matter complained of sifted to bottom. If the teacher is right he st be upheld, if he was ong he would hear about it. The tion, on being put, was carried.

t was then moved by Trustee Rich ls, and seconded by Trustee Morrow t the Superintendent and Mr. Mc od be informed that the board would et next Monday evening and that se gentlemen be requested to be sent at that meeting.

The Chairman—The Superintendent used to attend a meeting when re sted by the old board.

Trustee Richards—But this is a new rd.

Trustee McConnan thought that the rd would put themselves in an awk rd position. If they had a complaint y should write to the Education partment, and if Mr. McLeod had a plaint he should pursue the same rse. If the matter had been brought ward in the present board's time y might have dealt with it.

Trustee Jessop did not know any ng of the pros and cons of the case. he thought it advisable to postpone matter until the trustees could her the facts of the case. He would commit himself to the proposition the board had authority in the tter. He, however, would like to out the facts of the case.

Trustee Richard's said that was just object in offering the resolution so both parties would be present to lain the matter.

ustee McLaughlin said it was the of the Superintendent to go before Board of Trustees to inform them e best way to conduct their busi . In support of this he read the wing clause from the new School

lause 4 section 8—Under the head of duties of Superintendents of Edu n to persuade and animate parents, rdians, trustees and teachers to im e the character and efficiency of public schools, and to secure the d education of the young generally. there is anything wrong the board ld know it. The trustees could shirk the responsibility of this mat f they were fit for their positions. Superintendent should be glad to before the board.

ustee Richards' motion was car Trustee McConnan, only oppos t.

REPORTS.

e of the teachers not having sent in eports the secretary was requested form that teacher to furnish it.

BY-LAWS.

motion, a committee was appoint frame by-laws for the guidance of board, and also to consult the ney-General to see what part of oard shall constitute a quorum. tees Richards, Jessop and Mc hlin were appointed.

NEW TEACHERS.

airman Hayward had the estimates e him which provided for the ap ment of two new teachers for ria West and three teachers for a chool. This has to be done.

stee Richards said the board not have any funds until after st of January. He doubted if the was responsible for expenses in d during the year.

stee McLaughlin moved and Trus ichards seconded that:

reas, there are no funds at the al of the school trustees to meet cidental expenses of the schools s city, and whereas, we are not wered by the School Act to draw City Council for such incidental ses until January 31, 1892,

lved,—That the Council of Public Instruction be respectfully informed that we desire of that Council a sum sufficient to meet the incidental expenses of this board till the 31st of January, 1892. And further, that $6,500 would not be an over-estimate of those expenses.

The meeting then adjourned till next Monday evening.

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By order, O. WEILER,
jy15-1w Secretary.

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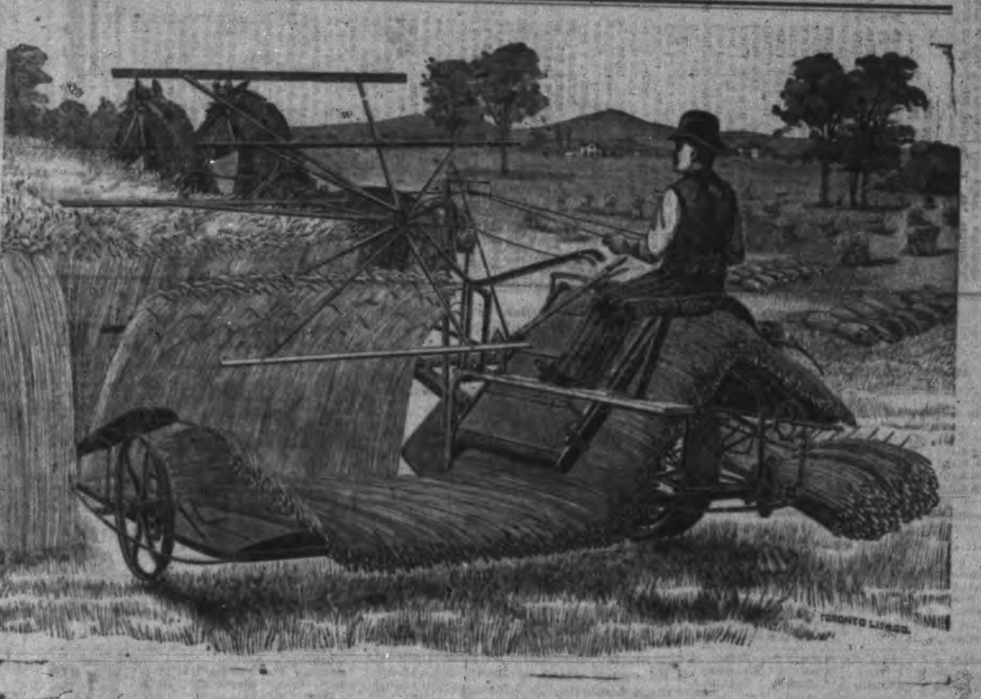
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WEATHER REPORT.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 21, 1891.
Corrected by Mr. F. C. Gamble, C. E.

Time	Ther'ter	Bar.	Wind.	Remarks.
1 p.m	67.0	30.32	S W by S	Cloudy
6 p.m	65.0	30.29	S W	Fair
10 p.m	56.0	30.26		Clear
5 a.m	52.0	30.27	S W	"
1 p.m	66.0	30.25	S E	Fair

Temperature—Highest, 68; lowest, 52.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.
For 24 hours ending 1 p.m. July 19, 1891.
Datum—Ordinary low water Spring tides.
Lowest water observed 1.5 below datum, Jan. 10 and 11, 1891.
Highest, 10.16 above datum, Dec. 25, 1890.

SUNDAY, July, 20,				MONDAY, July, 21.			
p.m.	Tide ft above datum	p.m.	Tide ft above datum.	a.m.	Tide ft above datum.	a.m.	Tide ft above datum.
1	4.50	8	7.68	1	8.92	8	*.66
2	5.75	9	7.83	2	8.50	9	*1.00
3	6.42	10	8.42	3	7.50	10	*.50
4	6.75	11	8.75	4	6.00	11	.75
5	7.00	12	8.92	5	4.50	12	2.08
6	7.33			6	2.68	1	3.50
7	7.50			7	.68		

* Below datum.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Narrow Escape by a Dangerous Practice—A Sad Case.

NANAIMO, July 21st.—The case against Dr. Walkem was brought on yesterday at 2:30 o'clock before J. P. Planta, S.M., Mayor Hilbert, and A Shaw, J.P. The case was one under the public health by-law, charging the defendant with an infringement of the same. Mr. E. M. Yarwood appeared for the defendant, who put in a plea of "Not guilty." Mr. Potts appeared on behalf of the sanitary committee.

Mr. S. Gough, city clerk, was the first witness called, and proved the appointment of Dr. Praeger as health officer, to whom all reports were to be made.

J. H. Davison was the principal witness, and stated that Dr. Walkem visited his house on the 9th instant, and went into the rooms occupied by the Misses Booth, who, he was informed had diphtheritic membrane in the throat. On last Sunday morning Dr. Walkem stated that it was diphtheria. "In the afternoon I asked him why he had not told me before, and he said they had taken a sudden change. On the following Tuesday I met him on the street, and he informed me that he intended to tell Dr. Praeger, because he did not want to tell me. He said if he had told me sooner it would have injured the business of the ladies." Cross-examined by Mr. Yarwood, witness could not swear to the last statement made. He was positive that Dr. Walkem was present on the days named, also the hours. In answer to the bench:—The city clerk placed a yellow flag at my house on the 13th or 14th.

Ald. Dobeson, chairman of the sanitary committee, was called, and stated he had received no report from Dr. Walkem or any other doctor.

Dr. Walkem—I ask your worship to please take that down. You (meaning Dr. Walkem) will laugh on the other side of your face.

Dr. Praeger—Don't make any threats here.

Dr. Walkem—I don't care for a man like you.

Dr. Praeger—I am here as a public officer, and it is a painful duty I am called upon to perform, and I am not here to stand the abuse of Dr. Walkem.

The Bench—We did not hear it.

Dr. Praeger—Although Dr. Walkem is a past master of Billingsgate, I don't want to be made a subject of his abuse.

Dr. Walkem—There is a conspiracy against me.

The Bench—Do we hear the word conspiracy? If so, we must inform the defendant that he is liable to be proceeded against.

Dr. Walkem—I will prove it before I get through.

Dr. Praeger was the next witness called, and proved the case had not been reported to him, and he was there as a witness much against his will. In reply to the attorney for the prosecution, he explained it was customary for doctors to telephone the reports. Dr. Walkem has said there was a conspiracy formed against him, but I wish to prove there is not.

Dr. Walkem—I take that back.

Dr. Praeger—That's a very poor way, to make a slanderous statement and then take it back right away. If he tells a lie he should stick to it.

Dr. Rice testified to holding a consultation with Dr. Walkem on the Monday; the house was quarantined then.

The bench, in summing up, came to the conclusion that the defendant had been guilty of the offence, and at the request of the prosecution imposed a nominal fine of $1 and $23 costs.

A DANGEROUS PRACTICE.

There are a number of persons who constantly travel by rail and are accustomed to jump on the trains as they are in motion, and often with fatal results. Two such cases occurred on the up train yesterday, but fortunately beyond being knocked down, no injury was received by the men through their careless acts. One of the cases occurred at Nanaimo and the other at Duncan's. The conductors are repeatedly warning men, but apparently it is of little avail.

A SAD CASE.

Mr. J. L. Cotton, a fish merchant of this city, who, for some time past has suffered from epileptic fits, reached a climax at an early hour this morning. The young fellow is well known and respected in this city, and many expressed their sympathy for him to-day on learning how severely he had injured himself while in one of these fits. He had to be handcuffed this morning before he could be taken to the hospital, and when there he had to be chloroformed Dr. Davis hopes to give a favorable report of his patient in a few days, and although it is rumored he will be sent to Westminster asylum, it is not likely such an act will be necessary.

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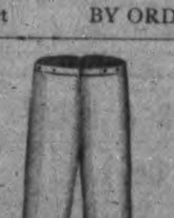
FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT.

A public meeting of the citizens of Victoria interested in the forthcoming Firemen's Tournament to be held here by the N.W.F.A is called for to-morrow (Tuesday) evening, 21st instant, at the City Hall.

Mayor Grant will take the chair at 8 p.m.

Those gentlemen already named as a committee are particularly requested to be present.

jy20-2t BY ORDER.



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